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SUBJECT: NAMIBIA - UNSYG' S MANDATE

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WE SPOKE WITH HEAD OF FCO CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEPT CONCERNING UN SYG' S NAMIBIAN MANDATE. HE SAID BRITISH HAVE SAME BASIC APPROACH ON MATTER AS WE DO. THEY WOULD ALSO LIKE TO WORK TOWARDS A COMPROMISE, BUT HAVE SEEN VERY LITTLE DIRECT EVIDENCE TO SUGGEST THAT AFRICANS WILL BE WILLING TO DO SO. BRITISH ARE NOT NOW PLANNING TO MAKE DEMARCHES IN AFRICAN CAPITALS, BUT AGREE THAT FOCUS ON ISSUE IS NOW IN NEW YORK AND THAT JOINT EFFORTS TO KEEP SYG' S MANDATE ALIVE CAN BEST BE COORDINATED BY OUR UN MISSIONS. THEY ALSO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN TWO PHASES IN EVOLUTION OF PROBLEM: EVEN IF A COMPROMISE ON MANDATE CAN' T BE WORKED OUT, BRITISH HOPE IT WILL BE POSSIBLE TO POSTPONE AS LONG AS POSSIBLE SITUATION WHERE AFRICANS " DRAW CONSEQUENCES" FROM WHAT THEY CONSIDER FAILURE OF SYG' S EFFORTS.

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